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IN THE U. S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Francis MOUYEN Conf.: 9713  
Apply. No.: 10/049,597 Art Unit: 2882  
Filed: February 14, 2002 Examiner: Thomas, C.  
For: METHOD FOR OBTAINING A RADIOGRAPHIC IMAGE  
OF A TOOTH AND ITS SURROUNDING ENVIRONMENT,  
AND DEVICES IMPLEMENTING SAID METHOD

TO 2800 MAIL ROOM

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**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

March 28, 2003

Sir:

In reply to the Examiner's Office Action ("Office Action") dated November 29, 2002, with Applicant petitioning for a one-month extension of time, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Amended) Method of obtaining a radiographic image of a tooth  
and of its surrounding area, characterised in that it comprises:  
emitting a bundle of X-rays in the direction of said tooth and its  
surrounding area,

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